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It was an original old maids' convention, improvised and carried out by Miss Mary E. Haskett, an elocution and lesarte teacher, whose ability in that line was brought out by the success of the entertainment. The proceeds were turnd over to the Christian church. The purposes of the convention, as explained by the president in her in-

roductory speech, were the amelioration of the hearts of men and the devising of ways and means for promot-ing the energy of Cupid. The treasarer's report showed a flattering balance in the treasury. Dollars and cents were accounted for to the smallest fraction of a penny, and expenses were so light that during the year following the previous meeting the exchequer would have shrinked little but for the amount expended in futile breech of promise suits. The secretary's report was the most discouraging. Not a member of the association had received a proposal, and to encourage such misa proposal, and to encourage such mistakes on the part of the sterner sex the organization was formed. In calling the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. coll each member responded with quotation, and naturally each dealt with the male portion of ethnology. Here is a typical quotation: "Men may come and men may go, but I go on forever," modeled, of course, after the

tribulations of a river. The Phoenix Indian school band asembled a crowd on the street opposite O'Neill hall shortly before the time my duty to do something in regard to recommending your wonderful medi-cine. I must say it announced for rapping together the convention, and a few minutes later the cine. I must say it is the grandest medicine on earth, and have advised a great many suffering with female troubles to take it. spacious hall of the building was filled

beautiful stanza which recited the

to its seating capacity. The programme presented was extremely long, but pleasing throughout. The drills and pantomime were applauded heartily, and each number showed the result of careful training as tures most warmly received by the audience was a violin golo by Miss Pet Lyle of Kansas City and a vocal solo by Mrs. Edwin H. Cooper. oSme disappointment was expressed because Mrs. Vivian Palmer Hamilton, expected to render a vocal solo, could not appear on account of sickness. The programme follows

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Makeover. Vocal Solo,....Mrs. Edwin H. Cooper Recitation....... Miss Erile Hughes Violin Solo. Miss Pet Lyle, Kansas City Recitation Miss Claire Bunker Character Song. Miss Ethel La Chance RecitationBlanche Hughes

... Willie Corpstein, June Williams Piano Accompanist, Prof. Wm. Strobridge.

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Miss Romell Rhodes, Miss Roberts 'Maslain's Child' (recitation).....
June Williams

Flag Drill..........Mabel Tobey, Claire Bunker, Stella Zimmerman, Nellie Burnett, Eva Luke, Eloise Grant Hazel DeMund, Alice Mable, Annie Luke Mattie B. Dawes, Nellie Weston, Ione Huntington. Piano Accompanist, Miss Bessie

Seargent. My Ma, She Knows" Franklin McKelligon

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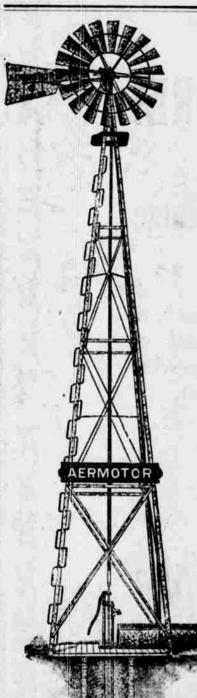
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